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Assistant Director for Scientific Intelligence

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Request for Information from the BBC Tatsfield Monitoring Station.

REF : Memorandum to AD/O, thru AD/C, from AD/SI, dated 13 November 1952.

1. On 2 December, [ ] Chief FBID, arranged a meeting between [ ] of your office, [ ] of OC and Mr. Richard D. Marriott, Head BBC Monitoring Service. It is understood that Mr. Marriott agreed to secure a recent full report on Soviet jamming prepared by the Tatsfield Monitoring Station. He will give this report to the Chief, London Bureau, FBIS for transmittal to FBID, Washington, which will in turn forward it to you.

2. I am informed that Mr. Marriott further agreed to facilitate the efforts of [ ] now in the U. K., in securing additional information which your office requires.

3. In order to insure that the information you have requested in para. 2A and B of referenced memorandum is received, FBID has made a formal request to Mr. Marriott which he will endeavor to fulfill on his return to the U. K. on or about 10 December.

4. It is believed that this channel is entirely appropriate for securing information on Soviet jamming of broadcast channels since this subject is non-sensitive and within the scope of normal monitoring activities.

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